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Corps to dredge Green Bay Harbor this summer

DETROIT—The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Detroit District, has awarded a nearly \$2.9 million contract to dredge Green Bay harbor in Wisconsin.

Roan Salvage Co., a small business in Sturgeon Bay, Wis., was awarded the \$2,893,300 contract to remove 184,000 cubic yards of shoaled material from the harbor. The project is funded by the 2009 Omnibus Bill.

Dredging is scheduled to begin in June. The dredged material will be placed in the nearby Bay Port Confined Disposal Facility, located in Green Bay.

Dredging the deep draft harbor keeps the port open and maintains local jobs. Green Bay is a major receiving port for coal, limestone, cement, salt, pig iron, fuel oil, liquid asphalt, lumber and other domestic and overseas cargo.

The Detroit District manages 94 harbors in and around Lakes Superior, Michigan, Huron, St. Clair, and the Michigan portion of Lake Erie.

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